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REQUEST FOR LEAVE

TO THE HONORABLE JUSTICES OF THE 5th COURT OF APPEALS.

I am requesting leave of Court for your consideration of my response brief filed today in this cause and for such request, I show the following:

- 1. I was unclear on filing a corrected brief last week. The clarifying order entered last week states that I had until May 14, 2022 to file a corrected brief. May 14, 2022 was a Friday, so I assumed I had until Monday.
- 2. I had already filed corrections, but the order provided clarification after the fact. I had two finals last week and appreciated the time to make further corrections.
- 3. I could not find rules for reply briefs, but I wanted to make sure my Index of Authorities cited the corresponding page numbers, and I did not have time for such considerations in my previous response.
- 4. I added further clarification on my argument on prior restraints, and I added additional records references. Other than that, my arguments are the same.

I apologize for any confusion or delays. Learning to apply constitutional considerations was not something I planned for while in the midst of my final graduate school semester. I wanted to be thorough with my clarifying arguments

because of the stakes in my case and because it is not just my case with high stakes.

I know the reality of the vexatious litigant statute and the devastation that it brings.

I am not a vexatious litigant, I could have simply proven my innocence, but I spent

countless additional hours with my argument because no one should be subjected to

further humiliation and discrimination when already faced with cruelty and

injustice. This Court has the opportunity to stop a law that is in fact a plague

against liberty and justice, and I did my part in bringing you the strongest

arguments that I possibly could for that purpose. I request this Honorable

Court's consideration of my response brief filed today, May 16, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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